

**CHAPTER NO. 26**

**HOUSE BILL NO. 181**

**By Representatives Fowlkes, Coleman, Sontany**

**Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 1724**

**By Senator Person**

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 16, Chapter 2, Part 5, relative to presiding judges.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, 16-2-509(b) is amended by deleting the third sentence which reads:

A presiding judge shall be eligible for a successive term as presiding judge one (1) time.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2005, the public welfare requiring it.

**PASSED: March 21, 2005**

  
JIMMY RAIFEH, SPEAKER  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

  
JOHN S. WILDER  
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

**APPROVED this 5<sup>th</sup> day of April 2005**

  
PHIL BREDESEN, GOVERNOR